

### **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Kevin McHenry (Reg. No. 62,582) on Friday October 2, 2009.

The application has been amended as follows:

#### **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

The following paragraphs **have been inserted** on Page 4, line 29 of the original Specification submitted on 07/28/2006.

**-- Figure 5 shows an exemplary arrangement in which exhaust gas is recirculated on a high pressure side of an exhaust turbocharger.**

**Figure 6 shows an exemplary arrangement in which exhaust is recirculated on a low pressure side of an exhaust gas turbocharger. --**

### ***Conclusion***

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to THAI BA TRIEU whose telephone number is (571)272-4867. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Thursday (6:30-5:00).

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